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| CCQs: | Details: |
| Man is some of their dreams really off from what we have today, however we did eventually have a system of universal education incorporating science (in the North, not in the South, that summer course has me confused…)  Why did he need to use that much power for anyway?  This just reeks of irony, they never taught that they would ever do that, but they became the leaders behind it. | MI (1st P): The Republicans’ leader had the “Jeffersonian Vision” and had goals.  Details:   * They envisioned: a society of sturdy, independent farmers free from work, industrial towns, and city mobs of Europe. * Favored a system of universal education about ideas from the Enlightenment (science). * Promoted a cultural outlook, and proposed that the national had limited power, most power in states.   MI (2nd P): Their (Rep.) plans failed because the young republic was changing that made that old vision obsolete.  Details:   * American economy became more diverse and complex. * There were growing cities, commerce, expanding industrialism that made the first envisioned plan fail. * Most of the schools were too much for most Americans to go, only the elites could go, failing the system of universal education. * American cultural life had a lot of nationalism failing their sectionalism dream. * There were challenges against the Enlightenment rationalism.   MI (3rd P): The Republicans did manage to do some of their dreams.  Details:   * Jefferson dismantled much of the bureaucratic power structure that the Federalists created in the 1790s; tried to make national government a very small part of American life. * However Jefferson did need to use his power on some occasions to use strong national authority; even at times exceedingly than his Federalist predecessors.   MI/Details (4th P): The Republicans didn’t like any of the growing trends (even resisted some), but saw what they couldn’t change and they became the agents of what they had opposed from the very start. |
| Summary: In the beginning of TJ’s presidency, he and his followers had opposite plans on what had eventually happened, they did manage to get a few things they wanted from the start done, but they eventually became the government they once opposed/resisted. | |